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DEFEND CASSIDY STYLE OF START

Westerners Call His Walk-Up System Best.

TAKES WHACK AT STEWARDS

Detroit Man Not Awed by Their Owl-Like Wisdom-Where Blame Belongs.

Western friends of Starter Mars Cassidy are coming to his defense as a result of the abuse which has been nurled at him because of bad starts and the heavy penalties he has inflicted upon jockeys who would not obey orat the post.

Incidentally, the Westerners are not at all awed or impressed by the air of sacred wisdom in which the stewards of the metropolitan tracks are so fond wrapping themselves. The scribes wild and woolly even go so far as to declare openly that it is perfeetly possible for the stewards to make mistakes Such temerity is alinconceivable, but it exists. One racing expert takes up the cudgels for Cessidy in the Detroit News as follows:

Popular in North.

"Detroit is considerably interested in ae starting bugaboo which is worryracegoers in the metropolitan circult. Holtman and Dwyer had followed Caldwell on the local tracks and their work was eminently satisfactory. Down ning and other minor courses in the East they had a starter named Mars sidy, and finally the Highland Park Club employed him to do the work here. from the day he first yelled "Go" in the Northern circuit his fame spread, until at the end of a season he was rated among the best.

Cassidy introduced the walk-up start,

and it worked like a charm. Lining the forses up some yards back of the barcommanded the boys to walk hem to the barrier and as they reached it he released the rubber and gave the Up and off, nearly always in od alignment, and seldom a case of a horse left at the post, it caught the oular fancy at once.

His Troubles Began.

The fame of the new starter spread to the East, where he had previously worked without more than passing noand finally the Jockey Club sent for him to come back.

"Cassidy did not want to leave the orthern circuit, and the many friends had in Detroit, Buffalo and elsebut there was the satisfaction knee in a plaster cast, and may aback and the substantial able to play against Michigan. of going back ey gain. The regular starter giving upthe work, Cassidy passed from associate to chief, and then his troubles began, lasting all this year, and making him unpopular, when the blame for poor work should have been put upon those responsible. Vetoed Walk-Up.

"The first appearance of Cassidy in the East two years ago was at the Aqueduct track, and he showed them

the walk-up start. Papers printed long articles in commendation of it, and said it was the best starting seen there in recent years.

"But something came over the stewards of the Jockey Club, the small bottle coterie who control metabolic and the coterie who control metabolic articles."

coterie who control metropolitan ing. They decided against the Casracing. They decided against the Cassidy method in favor of a hybrid system, and said that he must walk the horses up to the harrier, have them stop for a while, then dispatch them.

This brief pause was enough for them. This brief pause was enough for boys and horses to indulge in all sorts of anties, and the starts have been bad in consequence, although as good as they would have been with any other man in the position.

Coach Warner, of Cornell, says that any man who slugs will be dropped from the football squad without any terminant in the position.

President Eliot, of Harvard, writes

nunciation of his work. Few words have been said about the stewards who are been said about the stewards who are to blame, but now that the season is about over, the sentiment is changing and the stewards are coming in for their share. One writer roasts them soundly for their interference and points out that England had the same trouble until the racegoing public rose up and demanded that horses be started from a walk, "Cassidy is to start at Hot Springs and probably the Corrigan track at New Orleans this winter, but whether he will work for the Jockey Club next season is not known among his Detroit intimates."

Much has been written of the Carlisle has as yet been no real test for them. Carlisle has been weaker each season for some years, but Woodruff andounces that this year's team compares favorably with the strong Carlisle than of the same of eight and nine years ago, when the veterans Metoxen, Bemus, and Hawley Pierce and others were playing. Carlisle has scored 212 points so far this year.

Shultz, whose field goal tied the Amherst game he for the Columbia, was so well coached in drop-kicking that just before the Columbia-Amherst game he

NOTHING WAS DOING IN SCRAPPING LINE

Peyron Failed to Appear and Trusty Ship Wasn't Chartered-Now for More Talk.

Something went wrong with Ristie

liamsites, together with Peyton, were at the foot of Eighth street at 7 p.m., October 39, may not come off. Erne which was the advertised sailing time, and were willing to make the long trip, even if it was a dark and stormy night, even if it was a dark and stormy night, was first made. The club will likely mighty confident were the McWilliams of another good man to meet Dunn in rooters that they would land the money. At the wharf they found that the steam er upon which they were to sail had not been chartered, and after waiting

This mix-up will revive all the talk about the merits of the respective dusky scrappers, and it is to be hoped they will soon end the controversy. The Mc-Williams contingent is shricking shrilly about betting \$500 on its man. Maybe the Peyton supporters will have a chance to make some easy money.

All doubts as to Joe Kelley's standing with the Cincinnati Club were set at rest yesterday, when the official announcement was made that he had been re-signed by the Cincinnati Club, which means, of course, that he will manage the team for next year.

Athletic Club, of Chelsea, at the Doug-las Athletic Club, of Chelsea, Mass., on November 7, has also hooked up with Adam Ryan for a fifteen-round stunt of November.

Joe Jeannette, negro middleweight of New York, and Jim Jeffords, of California, are to meet tonight before the Broadway Athletic Club, of Philadelphia. Jeannette has been coming fast This mix-up will revive all the talk Athletic Club, of Cincinnati.

FLORIST BOWLERS OF DISTRICT LEAGUE



Left to Right, Standing-Campbell, Ernst (Captain). Seated-Berry, Shaffer, McLennan, and Simmone

Joe Bowker, the English featherweight

J. W. Flack has sold Hazel Patch, 2:03%, to J. S. Sherman. The price was not made public.

It is announced that Katherine L., 3,

The owners of the Island Park track, Albany, N. Y., are anxious to get into the Grand Circuit next year.

The Cincinnati Reds will train at Santa

Umpire Jack Sheridan says Mathew-

son has never had an equal as a pitcher. His "fade away" ball and marvelous

A. C. Anson was likely to be manager

BASEBALL.

Monica next spring.

control are his forte

2:124, will not be raced next seasor but will be sent to the stud.

Personal Comment on Men and Things in the Field of Sports

FOOTBALL.

Of late, having outpointed Jack Johnson, the colored champion, and knocked out Black Bill in seven rounds.

Cornell seems to have hit its right speed, and the men are in good shape. Pennsylvania is pessimistic over the

Harvard game. Ray will succeed Wheeler as quarter

Ray will succeed Wheeler as quarter-back at Illinois, the latter having left school.

Burroughs will be moved from full-back to guard on the Illinois team in McKelvey's place.

Bull is to take Captain Torrey, the Burroughs wind to take Captain Torrey, the Propositional agents and a superficient of the move of Baltimore, on November 2, for fifteen and the superficient of the meets Joe Wagner at Allentewn, Pa., on November 7. Pennsylvania center, under his wing for

special coaching. Carrithers, the Illinois star, has his knee in a plaster cast, and may not be

Rafferty has been changed to the left side of the Princeton line, and Dillon will play right guard. Munn is kicking well for the Tigers.

There is a wonderful spirit at Wiscon sin. The students will fight as long as the team fights, and hope for victory in the Minnesota and Michigan games.

Stewards to Blame.

"Cassidy has been the subject of much adverse comment during the year and papers have been almost brutal in denunciation of his work. For words here."

President Eliot, of Harvard, writes pointedly about football in Success for November. He says risks are often exaggerated. His chief objection to the game is that it "engenders a vicious moral code in the end."

Shultz, whose field goal tied the Amherst game for Columbia, was so well coached in drop-kicking that just before the Columbia-Amherst game he succeeded in scoring 19 goals in 20 attempts. Al Sharpe, who in 1899 made a 47-yard drop-kick goal for Yale against Princeton, was Shultz's instructor.

Coach Stagg's forethought in bringing a supply of scrub-bushes along with his Chicago team to Madison, Wis., for the purpose of cleaning the players' shoes in case the field was muddy, bore fruit. The damp earth clogged the shoe cleats, and the brushes came in handy.

Cornell ran through three or four new plays on Percy Field the other day, which Coach Warner says never have been tried on the gridfron before.

Rothgeb, the Nationals' outfielder, is coaching the Washington University football squad, of St. Louis.

Leonard and his cohorts last night in regard to that fight which was to have been held at Indian Head between Billy Peyton and Joe McWilliams.

Harry Haight and the other McWilliams are together with Peyton, were at letic Club, of South Sharon, Pa., on October 30, may not come off. Erne October 30, may not come off.

Maurice Sayers, the Milwaukee featherweight, and Andy Bezenah, of Cinfor some time they returned home, cinnail, have been hooked up to meet hinting that the chilly air had given for fifteen rounds at catchweights on hovember 10, before the River View

Will Have Sure Enough George Washington's Game. Joe Bowker, the English featherweight champion, still holds his title, as he defeated Spike Robson, also of London, England, in a hard fifteen-round fight before the National Sporting Club, of England. Robson was no easy proposition, as he rocked the champion time and again with rights and lefts to the jaw. The bout went the limit.

Good Cause-Next Meeting on November 28.

Montgomery county, Md., baseball ans are determined to have a league next season of teams in their county and the District, which will be a sure nough league.

They are taking time by the forelock

Mike (Twin) Sullivan, the Cambridge lightweight who is to meet Joe Gans for twenty rounds before the Hayes Valley Athletic Club, on November 7, has started to train with his brother Jeck for the bout. Mike had the better of Gans in a fifteen-round bout a month ago in Baltimore, although it was called a draw, and is confident that he can do the trick again. W. K. Vanderbilt has been elected a director of the National Horse Show Association.

Bon Voyage only won a single race, but is one of the first five money win-ners of the year. Meet November 28.

William L. Aud, of Poolesville, was Zombro, 2:11, won first prize for aged standard-bred stallions at the Portland Ore., fair.

Selected chairman of the meeting and V. L. Kefauver, of Wheaton, secretary. After much discussion as to the clubs who will be in the league, it was decided to adjourn for a further meeting at Rock-ville, November 28, for election of of-

The following towns were represented:
Washington Grove, Kensington, Boyds,
Poolesville, and Wheaton. By the time
of the next meeting there is likelihood of
Rockville, Galthersburg, and Takona
having their representation.
William L. Aud succeeds A. D. Trundle as manager of the Poolesville team
for next year.

WASHINGTON AFTER INTERCITY HONORS

Lew McAllister, who last spring coached Michigan's baseball team to championship form, says he will go to Ann Arbor again next year. Michigan's prospects for a winning team again are assuring.

Washington will compete for intercity bowling honors this evening, when the Floriest team, of the District League, will go to Baltimore to most the Floriest. President Hart, of the Chicagos, only teams of Baltimore and Philadelphia at smiled at a Louisville story, saying Capt. the Monarch alleys, 317 West Fayette of the Nationals, "We have two managers now," said Hart, "I don't think we want three." This is the beginning for this sea-son of a tournament in which the hor-The National League clubs played fif-ty-five extra inning games last season including one of twenty innings, one of cighteen, two of fourteen, six of thrteen, five of twelve, eleven of eleven and twenty-nine of ten.

Washington and Quaker flower raisers will be entertained at supper by their Baltimore friends.

MONTGOMERY FANS

Baseball League.

Teams and Individuals Will Help the

nd will perfect their plans this winter so that they will have a good start when the time to play rolls around. The first meeting of those interested in the project was held at the home of Dr. Eugene Jones, at Boyds, on Wednesday evening. It was a sort of informal gathering, but there were more than enough present to assure the success of the enterprise, besides which support was promised from teams and individnals not present because of the incleinent weather.

The following towns were represented:

will go to Baltimore to meet the Florist street, for three games with each team. ticultural experts of the three cities will invade one another's territory and

Clark Griffith denies that he will dispose of Norman Elberfeld to St. Louis, or any other club. He says that he is on good terms with the scrappy little shortstop, who is anxious as can be to play with the Highlanders another season.

The Baltimore Eastern League club cleaned up a wad of real money on its post-season trip through Pennsylvania.

Upsets Are Expected In Tomorrow's Games

Keen Interest in Football Contests Between Big Teams—Georgetown Goes to Pittsburg While G. W. U. Meets Maryland.

Keen interest is being manifested by followers of intercollegiate football in the contests which will be decided to-morrow.

Late this evening the Georgetown squad of twenty players, accompanied by Manager Hannigan and Coach Rellly, will leave for Pittsburg, where the Blue over the Navy Yard outfit on Wednesday has encouraged the dummles and they are quite hopeful of a victory over their old-time rivals tomorrow. and Gray meets the strong Washington and Jefferson team tomorrow.
Washington and Jefferson outfit is of the strongest in that section of the ountry and as it has a decided advanage over the West Enders in the matter of weight Georgetown expects a hard

Practice at Georgetown.

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A the scrimmage was the feature of yesterday's practice at Georgetown Field. After lining up the varsity team, Coach Reilly picked the best scrub team available and worked the first cleven on both the offense and defense.

Greene, a former University of Indiana player, who is in the law school, and Stuart, a member of the varsity crew, were the only new candidates to report. Stnart was played at end on the scrubs, while Greene was put in at tackle, and he made a most favorable impression. Although he was in poor physical condition, he jumped right into the thick of the fray, and it is probable that he will be in the first line-up at Pittsburg.

The probable line-up follows:

Left end, Fitzpatrick; left tackle, Murphy; left guard, Woods: center Me. while Greene was put in at tackle, and he made a most favorable impression. the fray, and it is probable that he will be in the first line-up at Pittsburg.

Left end, Fitzpatrick; left tackle, Murphy; left guard, Woods; center, Mc-Guire; right guard, McCulloch; right tackle, Greene; right end, Monahan; quarterback, Bocock; left halfback, Mc-Laughlin; right halfback, Lux, and fulloack, Dutcher or Pallen

The best game on a local gridiron will

be played at University Field, where George Washington meets the Univer-

defend equally well, and is fairly strong in kicking.

The Buff and Blue was thoroughly dissatisfied with the work of her team last Saturday, with Hopkins, so the work this week has been the hardest since the candidates reported. As a result of the call for more material a number of likely men have reported, and yesterday afternoon there were about thirty players at the field for the practice.

Coach Barnard gave the two teams defend equally well, and is fairly strong in kicking.

Nothing is expected of the game at Cambridge between Harvard and Brown, despite the Crimson's supposed worriment. There is more chance of something interesting developing at Annapolis, where the strong Swarthmore team plays. If the "Middies" can keep up their pace against this team they will show greater strength than they have had for three years.

Judging by the showings made thus far this season Princeton should be able to defeat Columbia at New York, although the latter team is quite hopeful of crossing the Tigers' goal line. last Saturday, with Hopkins, so the work this week has been the hardest since the candidates reported. As a

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Yale vs. West Point.

The West Point game with Yale is the most important of any of the big contests. The Yalenslans have been working like Trojans to avoid the de fects in the defensive play shown in the trial with Pennsylvania State. It is likely that Hockenberger will replace

Indians Are Strong.

The Carlisle Indians have made a great showing this year. They have scored the highest total of points of any team in the East and have met fairly strong competitors. They made a better show-ing against Penn State than did Yale. The team is in perfect physical condition, appears able to gain ground and to iefend equally well, and is fairly strong

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